

1. **What was / has been your occupation before entering politics?** Occupation: Private-sector Electronics hi-tech industry with over 25 years of International work experience covering four continents. Founder and Chief Operating Officer, Telecom (Free-Space-Optics) company.
2. **Do you live in the riding and, if so, how long has it been your home?** I live in my riding of Nepean. Lived here for 35 years.
3. **What has been your main involvement with your community outside of work (volunteer activities, etc.)?** My life presented a uniquely wonderful experience of pluralistic culture. Over-land adventure travel spanning over 90 countries and interacting with many global communities.
4. **In your life what event, or book, or speech, or song or even TV show has made the biggest impression on you and your political thinking? Why?** My foundation was the solid education in the English Grammar School tradition, putting the freedom of thought and expression in the forefront. Principles of ethics, hard work and respect, enabled me to 'live my dream'. Studying 'Adventure Story', depicting an epic history of Alexander The Great, in my Grade 10 English Literature class elevated my dreams and spirit. A sagacious ruler and adventurous youth marched to victories reaching the 'end of the world'. His life ended at the age of thirty-two. Above all his tutor, Aristotle, sparked my interest in classic Greek philosophers Socrates and Plato.
5. **What previous politician, (alive or dead, but not currently in parliament) is a role model for you?** In my living history, Rene Levesque has left a remarkable legacy for the future politicians. There are lessons to be learnt. In particular, to constantly examine strengthening national identity and unity. Wisdom tells, history has the tendency to repeat itself. Canada is founded as a secular state with the rule-of-law. They set the standard of public life. In light of contemporary pluralistic culture, shared values, leading to increased harmony, needs to be revitalised. What is Canadian Identity? Do we need an identity?
6. **What policy in your party's platform do you think matters most to the people in your riding?** There is growing disparity between the high cost of living and opportunities of good paying jobs. Mounting government debt means the hard earned tax dollars are used to service the debt; not building a prosperous and secure future.
  - Simplify the tax system and cut taxes.
    - Reduce Government spending and handouts to businesses
      - Lower business tax
      - Eliminate foreign aid
  - Enhance global competitiveness and be innovative
    - Open the telecommunications and air travel sectors

- Establish Nepean-South hi-tech corridor. My vision 2020. Incentives to vital sectors such as environmental Green Technology, next-generation ICT, and AI-centric digital economy.

**7. Recent polls suggest many Canadians are disillusioned with politics. If elected, what would you do to address those concerns?** The astounding manner in which the Established Federal parties have functioned is undermining our faith in democracy and eroding the social fabric of our great country. Identity politics is gaining ground. The People's Party of Canada, is 'Doing Politics Differently', putting Canada first and serve the interest of Nepean.

- Focus on prosperity and build a robust economy.
  - Sustainable immigration of 150,000 per year
  - Prioritize skilled immigrants
- Invest in resilient infrastructure in light of extreme weather conditions.
- Restore public safety and national security
- Secure our borders.
- Common-sense foreign policy focused on the security and prosperity
- Preserve the environment